GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES
LOK SABHA

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CHANDIL LBC POWER PROJECT
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Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether techno-economic sanction has been granted to the Chandil LBC power project in Jharkhand ;

(b) if so, the manner in which the said project is likely to face power crisis ; and

(c) the percentage of work completed on this project as on date and the time by which the entire project is likely to be completed ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Chandil LBC hydro power project which is under construction would havean installed capacity of 8 MW. Once commissioned, the project would augment power supply in the State.

(c): Over 85% of the work on the project is reported to have been completed. Before the bifurcation of Bihar, the project was being implemented by the Bihar State Hydro-electric Power Corporation (BHPC).The Government of Jharkhandhas, however, asked BHPC to handover the necessary papers & details regardingthe project. The Government of Jharkhand has indicated that the project could be completed in around six months time from the date of receipt of papers and details from BHPC.